

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1 2. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that one of the  
2 parts is manufactured by two- or multi-component injection molding in the form of at  
3 least a portion of the housing.

a' 1 3. (amended) Method as claimed in either of claims 1 and 2, characterized in  
2 that one of the parts is manufactured by two- or multi-component injection molding in  
3 the form of a seal.

1 4. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that one of the  
2 parts is manufactured by two- or multi-component injection molding in the form of an  
3 acoustic conductor situated at the output of an electromechanical transducer of the  
4 hearing aid.

1 5. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that one of the  
2 parts is manufactured by two- or multi-component injection molding in the form of an  
3 acoustic conductor at the input of an acousto-electric transducer.

1 6. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that a seat for  
2 parts of the hearing aid is manufactured by two- or multi-component injection  
3 molding in the hearing-aid housing.

1 7. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that a rim portion  
2 of a feedthrough aperture of the housing is manufactured by two- or multi-component  
3 injection molding.

1 8. (amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that on the  
2 outside of a housing portion a predetermined surface zone is jointly manufactured  
3 with the housing portion by two- or multi-component injection molding.

1 11. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in either of claims 9 and 10,  
2 characterized in that one of the parts is a seal.

1 12. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that the one  
2 part is an acoustic conductor at the output of an electromechanical transducer of the  
3 hearing aid.

1 13. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that one of  
2 the parts is an acoustic conductor at the input of an acousto-electric transducer of the  
3 hearing aid.

1 14. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that the  
2 housing comprises at least one seat for a further part of the hearing aid and in that said  
3 seat is jointly manufactured with a further part by two- or multi-component injection  
4 molding.

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15. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that the

housing is fitted with a feedthrough aperture for an operation control means and in

that the feedthrough rim zone is one of the parts.

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16. (amended) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that surface

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zones constituted of another material are manufactured as adjoining housing zones at

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the housing outside and in that they are produced jointly with said housing zones by

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two- or multi-component injection molding.

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Please add the following claim

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--17. (new) Hearing aid as claimed in claim 11, characterized in that the

second part is at least a portion of the housing.--